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Focusing on the major collections in the microform reading room at the University of Michigan Library, this guide lists only those collections for which there are indexes or guides in the microform reference collection. Materials described include personal family and presidential papers, early American newspapers, bibliographies of books and periodicals printed in early America and England, manuscripts, and dissertations. Excluded are the library's holdings of American and foreign newspapers, journals, and smaller special collections. The table of contents provides cross references to alternate titles for collections listed. (Author/MBR)

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Introduction

This guide focuses on the major special collections held in the Microform Reading Room. It is by no means a complete description of the microform collection. Only those sets for which there are indexes or guides in the Microform Reference Collection have been included. Not mentioned are the Library's extensive holdings of filmed American and foreign newspapers and journals and several smaller special collections. Microform publications of the United Nations and of the governments of Great Britain and the United States have been described in another guide in this series, the *Documents Handbook*.

Call numbers for the guides and indexes listed are local to the Microform Reading Room. Cross references to alternate collection titles have been included in the Table of Contents.

Users are encouraged to consult the Microform Reading Room catalog for access to additional microform materials and the staff for assistance in using the collection.

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Special Microform Collections

Film X1

ADAMS FAMILY PAPERS

The public and private papers of the Adams family of Massachusetts. This collection, since 1956 in the permanent custody of the Massachusetts Historical Society, consists of the journals, letters, state papers, and other manuscripts of John Adams (1735-1826), John Quincy Adams (1767-1848), Charles Francis Adams (1807-1886), and their wives and children.

A classified list of the 608 reels is available in the Microform Reference Collection (M.R. P1.5.)

Readers wishing to consult these papers should be aware that since they were filmed in 1956 some have been published, under the general editorship of L. H. Butterfield, by Harvard University Press. Papers published are grouped in four series:

1. Diaries (John Adams and Charles Francis Adams. 9 v.)
2. Adams family correspondence (2 v.)
3. General correspondence and other papers of the Adams statesmen (2 v.)
4. Adams family portraits (2 v.)

The editing of the papers is continuing. The Graduate Library holds all volumes published to date (1975).

Film X904

AMERICAN CULTURE SERIES

Books and pamphlets, generally published before 1876, relating to the discovery, settling, and development of the North American continent. The project was undertaken by the American Studies Association to encourage the establishment of courses in American culture at colleges with limited library resources.

All titles filmed are described in David Weimer's *Bibliography of American Culture, 1493-1875* (M.R. A3),which serves as an index to the collection and is especially useful for the detailed classification of materials included. An author index to titles published from 1801 to 1875 is available (M.R. A3.5)

Titles not yet recorded in the Public Catalog may be found under the authors' names in the Microform Catalog located in the Microform Reading Room.

The American Culture Series duplicates many titles appearing in other film projects, namely, Books Printed in America, 1639-1800, Books Printed in America, 1800-1819, and American Fiction, 1774-1900, all of which are available in the Microform Collection.

It should be noted that numerous titles filmed are also held in printed copies in the collections of the University of Michigan Library. Readers are advised to consult the Public Catalog for complete holdings.

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X511

AMERICAN FICTION SERIES, 1774-1900

A collection of novels, tales, short stories, romances, and other works of a fictional character written by Americans from the colonial period to 1900. All titles are described in the bibliographies cited below:

Wright, Lyle Hart.

American Fiction, 1774-1850. . . 2d ed. San Marino, Huntington Library, 1969 (M.R. A5.2).

American Fiction, 1851-1875. San Marino, Huntington Library, 1965 [i.e., 1968] (M.R. A5.3)

American Fiction, 1876-1900. San Marino, Huntington Library, 1966 (M.R. A5.4).

The Microform Collection holds 3,094 titles of the 10,827 produced to date. Subscription to this project was discontinued in 1972. Titles not held in the Graduate Library may be borrowed from the Center for Research Libraries, Chicago, upon application to Inter-library Loan Service.

Records of titles received are found only in the card files of the Microform Reading Room. There are no records in the Public Catalog. For full bibliographic identification, readers must consult the Wright bibliographies.

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AMERICAN NEWSPAPERS TO 1820

More than a hundred-twenty newspapers from fourteen states, many from the colonial period. Strongly represented are the early newspapers of Massachusetts, New York, and Pennsylvania. Among the longer runs in the collection are the *Boston Evening Post* (1735-1775), the *New York Herald* (1802-1817), and the *Providence Gazette* (1762-1820).

Helpful in utilizing this collection are the *Checklist—Early American Newspapers* (M.R. A 8) and Clarence S. Brigham's *History and Bibliography of American Newspapers, 1690-1820* (Ref. Z 6951 .B86). Needless to say, the film collection is but a very small portion of the newspapers described by Brigham.

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AMERICAN PERIODICAL SERIES I 18th CENTURY, II 1800-1850, III 1850-1900

An extensive collection of American periodicals published during the eighteenth and nineteenth centuries but excluding newspapers, yearbooks, and transactions of societies and academies. The eighteenth century periodicals filmed are fully cataloged, but for many of those of the nineteenth century records are often lacking except in the Micro-Catalog.

Reel guides and title indexes for all three series are available in the MRR reference collection. (M.R. A4). Also helpful is the *Index to Early American Periodicals to 1850* (Micro-P 9) which is a series of separate microprint indexes to fiction, poetry, book reviews, songs, and general essays.

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X192

AMERICAN STATISTICS INDEX. MICROFICHE LIBRARY.

An extensive microfiche collection of all non-depository statistical data of research value produced by the federal government. "ASI includes, among others, vital and demographic, business conditions, health, voting and election, manpower, labor, employment, and environment statistics found in periodicals, monographs, series, special and irregular publications, reports, and surveys." Generally excluded are "scientific and experimental observations, technical studies, and data stemming from specific scientific and technical research and development projects."* Coverage includes selected publications from the 1960's and all federally produced statistical data in print since 1970.

The material is indexed and abstracted in the *American Statistics Index* (Reference Z 7554 .U5 A52 1974-.) located in the Documents Room. It is updated monthly.

**Microform Review*, April, 1975, p. 112.

ANN ARBOR NEWSPAPERS

The Graduate Library has a large collection of Ann Arbor newspapers on microfilm. The history of newspaper publication in Ann Arbor over the past 150 years is a complicated one. Many titles appeared and disappeared over a very short period, while others underwent several title changes or mergers. *The Chronological List of Ann Arbor Newspapers and Checklist of Ann Arbor Newspapers* (M.R. N 1) is a useful tool for those doing research in local history. The chronological list covers local papers published from 1829 to 1951. The Checklist is arranged alphabetically by title. Also helpful is Lewis Doll's *History of the Newspapers of Ann Arbor*. (M.R. Z37).

Micro-P 1

BOOKS PRINTED IN AMERICA, 1639-1800 (Evans Project)

A collection of over 42,000 titles, exclusive of periodicals, issued in America from the introduction of printing in the colonies in 1639 to 1800. The project is based on Charles Evans's *American Bibliography* (M.R. A 1) as revised and supplemented by the American Antiquarian Society under the editorship of Clifford K. Shipton, whose *National Index of American Imprints Through 1800; the Short Title Evans* (M.R. A1.1) is indispensable for the identification of the publications included.

Under each author represented in the microprint collection is an "author information" card in the Public Catalog, but there are no cards for the author's individual works described in the Shipton or Evans guides. Readers should note that both the Graduate Library and the William L. Clements Library hold printed copies and revisions or re-issues of many of the works reproduced in microprint and that these are fully cataloged.

Micro-P 8

BOOKS PRINTED IN AMERICA, 1801-1819 (Shaw)

A continuation of the Evans Project (q.v.) and based on Ralph Shaw's *American Bibliography* (Ref. Z1215 .S54), a chronological list of books, pamphlets, and broadsides issued from 1801 to 1819. This bibliography was completed in 1963, but the film project to date (1975) extends only to 1812.

There are no cards in the Public Catalog for the titles filmed for this project, the sole record being the Shaw bibliography. The Microform Reading Room holds author-title indexes to the bibliography (M.R. A1.5) as well as an inventory of the boxes received.

Films 2133-2148

BRITISH AND CONTINENTAL RHETORIC AND ELOCUTION

A small collection of approximately a hundred titles, the majority in English, on the theory and practice of elocution up to 1800. Cards are filed in both the Public Catalog and the Micro-Catalog. Consult the reel guide (M.R. B 7) for a listing of titles in the order in which they appear.

Film 4849

BRITISH INDIA COLLECTION

A heterogeneous collection of materials assembled from the India Office Library and the Library of Congress by Professor Robert Crane, formerly of the University of Michigan, on many aspects of British rule in India from 1858 to the early years of the twentieth century.

Apart from extensive fragments of official correspondence and administrative reports, the collection contains a far-ranging assortment of books, pamphlets, tracts, and excerpts from the Indian press.

None of this material is cataloged. For contents of reels 1-46, consult the inventory: *India Office Library* (M.R. 1 1). For contents of reels 46-60, consult the author-title index bound with the inventory.

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THE BRITISH MANUSCRIPTS PROJECT

The British Manuscripts Project, undertaken during World War II by University Microfilms of Ann Arbor under the sponsorship of the American Council of Learned Societies, contains positive films of more than 11,000 manuscripts in 2,652 reels. It is the largest collection of filmed manuscripts from British libraries on the North American continent. The Graduate Library and the Library of Congress are the sole depositories of all films produced by the project.

The project was first organized to protect from the ravages of war the manuscript resources in Western Europe and the United Kingdom. However, the pace of hostilities from May 10, 1940 onward limited the effort to the United Kingdom. Selection of manuscripts to be filmed was accomplished by numerous historical and literary scholars throughout the United States, with emphasis on groups or classes of manuscripts rather than on individual documents. The cooperating institutions include the British Museum, the Public Record Office, the National Library of Wales, the libraries of Cambridge and Oxford universities, and the private libraries of the Earls of Leicester (Holkham Hall), the Marquises of Bath and Downshire, the Dukes of Northumberland and Bedford, and the Barons of Sackville, Middleton, De l'Isle, and Dudley, et al.

The project contains thousands of records from various ministries and branches of government, such as the Admiralty, the Foreign Office, the Home Office, the Treasury, the Star Chamber, and the War Office, the last named holding the papers of Lord Amherst, commander of British forces in North America from 1758 to 1763. From the several private collections came a wide range of private and official correspondence, family accounts, deeds, and court rolls. The project contains a wealth of manuscripts essential to the historical lexicography of the English language: Alcuin, Alfred, Aungerville, Bede, Berners, Chaucer, Geoffrey of Monmouth, Giraldus Cambrensis, Gower, Higden, Hoccleve, Wyclif, and many others.

Carried on in great haste and under the worst possible conditions, the British Manuscripts Project could not bring all the vast and rich resources filmed under adequate bibliographic control, with the result that one scholar,

Lester Born, who himself played a large role in the undertaking, was led to say: "It is one of the symptomatic ironies of scholarly photo-copying that these British manuscripts are so little known and used."

Access to the manuscripts is gained through both a printed checklist, cited below, and a card index prepared directly from the film by Miss Frances Hamman of The University of Michigan Library. This index is located in the Microform Reading Room. In addition to the information provided by the checklist, Miss Hamman gives an approach by author, title, and often subject, with numerous cross references. Unfortunately, an extensive name index to the Amherst papers, also the work of Miss Hamman, has been lost.

Reference: Born, Lester M., comp.
British Manuscripts Project; a Checklist of the Microfilms Prepared in England and Wales for the American Council of Learned Societies, 1941-1945. Washington, D.C., 1955. (Reprinted by Greenwood Press, New York, 1968) (M.R. B6 and Ref. Z 6620 .G 7 U58 1968)

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BRITISH MANUSCRIPTS PROJECT—ISLAMIC MANUSCRIPTS

One hundred and fifty-six Islamic manuscripts, mainly in Persian, constituting nearly a third of all the manuscripts collected by Edward Granville Browne, one of the foremost orientalists of his time. The Browne collection is held by the Cambridge University Library. The only guide to the films in this selection of Browne manuscripts is *A Descriptive Catalogue of the Oriental Mss. Belonging to the Late E. G. Browne* (Cambridge, Cambridge University Press, 1932). Graduate Library holdings are indicated in a copy of this catalogue retained in the Microform Reference Collection (M.R. B 6b).

It should be noted that in addition to the film copies from the Browne collection, the Department of Rare Books and Special Collections owns more than a thousand Islamic manuscripts.

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BRITISH NAVAL PAPERS OF
Hamond, Andrew Snape (1738-1828)
Hamond, Graham Eden (1779-1862)

The papers of Captain Andrew Snape Hamond deal mainly with British naval operations carried on during the American Revolutionary War in the coastal rivers of Virginia and Pennsylvania. The autobiography included in the papers is said to be "among the finest surviving narratives" of the struggle.

The papers of his son, Graham Eden Hamond, are concerned with naval operations in the Mediterranean theater

during the Napoleonic wars, in particular the attempted invasion of the Kingdom of Naples and the subsequent establishment of Sicily.

Reference: *Guide to the Naval Papers of Sir Andrew Snape Hamond, bart., 1766-1783 and Sir Graham Eden Hamond, bart., 1799-1825.* Charlottesville, University of Virginia Library, 1966. (M.R. Va2).

Film X1010

BRITISH PERIODICALS IN THE CREATIVE ARTS

Microform Reading Room holdings consist of fifteen periodical titles in the fields of fine arts, architecture, archaeology, drama, and music published in Britain between the 1770's and the early twentieth century. Each title is separately cataloged. A reel guide is available in the Microform Reading Room reference collection. (M.R. B8d)

Film 16014

BROWDER, EARL RUSSELL. PAPERS 1891-1975.
Glen Rock, N.J., Microfilming Corporation of America, 1975

A thirty-six reel collection of the Earl Browder papers housed in the George Arents Research Library, Syracuse University. Browder, general secretary of the Communist Party of the United States of America from 1930 to 1946, was an influential figure in American politics during the depression years. The collection is accompanied by a reel list and guide (M.R. Z13).

Film X165

BULLETIN DE PRESSE. PETROGRAD. MOSCOW. 1917-1918.

The bulletins issued in 1917-1918 by the French embassies in Moscow and Petrograd during the brief life of the Kerensky Provisional Government and extending through the Bolshevik seizure of power in the October Revolution.

The Bulletin ceased publication shortly after the landing of British and French troops in Murmansk on July 15, 1918.

An index to the *Bulletin de Presse* can be found in the Microform Reference Collection (M.R. B 10).

CIS MICROFICHE LIBRARY.
Washington, Congressional Information Service, 1970-.

The complete collection of congressional hearings, committee prints, reports, documents, special publications, and Senate executive reports and documents from 1973 to date. All documents filmed are indexed in depth by the *CIS Index* (Ref. Z 1223 .Z7 C75) which is shelved in the Documents Room. The collection is updated monthly. Since the microfiche often arrive in advance of the paper copies which the Library receives on deposit and because coverage is more complete, the CIS collection plays a central role in the Library's documents service.

Film 8203

THE CARTER FAMILY PAPERS, 1659-1797

The correspondence, diaries, and papers of two members of the Carter family: Landon Carter (1710-1778) and his son, Robert Wormeley Carter (1734-1798), prominent politicians and landowners in Colonial Virginia. The originals are a part of the Sabine Hall Collection of the University of Virginia Library.

The William L. Clements Library of the University of Michigan holds Landon Carter's diary for 1766-1767 and that of this son for 1764-1765, neither of which are included in these filmed papers.

Reference: *Guide to the Microfilm Edition of the Carter Family Papers, 1659-1798* (M. R. Va 3).

Film 14629

CHURCH OF JESUS CHRIST OF LATTER-DAY SAINTS. GENEALOGICAL SOCIETY LIBRARY CATALOG.

Of special importance to historians and genealogists is the microfilmed catalog of the Genealogical Society of the Church of Jesus Christ of Latter-Day Saints Library. When completed, the film catalog will provide access to the more than 800,000 reel collection at the main library in Salt Lake City, one of the largest and most complete collections of its kind in the world. The catalog is arranged by place and subdivided by topic. Filming thus far covers the U.S. and Canadian, British, and European collections. Materials available from the Genealogical Society Library include microfilmed state and local censuses, church and military records, local histories, wills, marriage licenses, deeds, epitaphs, memoirs, apprenticeship books, and the immigration and emigration records of major European archives. Film described in the catalog may be borrowed through one of the Genealogical Society's branch libraries, the closest of which is in Dearborn, Michigan.

Micro-F X206

COLLEGE CATALOG COLLECTION ON MICROFICHE. La Jolla, Calif., National Microfilm Library, 1974-.

A collection of almost 3000 current undergraduate and graduate college catalogs on microfiche beginning with the 1975-76 academic year. Some international coverage is included although the majority are catalogs from American two and four year institutions. The collection is arranged alphabetically by state and is accompanied by indexes by name and state. Updates are issued bimonthly.

Micro-F X194

DECLASSIFIED DOCUMENTS REFERENCE SYSTEM Washington, Carrollton Press, 1975-.

An ongoing microfiche collection of government documents recently declassified under the amended Freedom of Information Act and the mandatory review provision of Executive

Order 11652. Documents filmed are those believed to be of high general interest which have not been widely disseminated by other means. The majority are documents from the Department of Defense, the CIA, and the Department of State, although more than thirty other departments and agencies are also represented. The material covers a wide range of topics with heaviest emphasis on U.S. foreign policy. Accompanying it is the *Declassified Documents Quarterly Catalog* which contains both abstracts and a subject index. The catalog is housed in the Documents Room (Ref. Z1223 .Z7 D34).

Film X825

DISCIPLES OF CHRIST—SELECTED PERIODICALS

Much of the influence of the Disciples of Christ, also known as Christian Churches and Churches of Christ, rests on the widely circulated periodicals that were launched under its auspices during the nineteenth century. Prominent among these are the *Christian-Evangelist* and its predecessors, *The Gospel Echo, The Gospel Echo and Christian, The Evangelist,* and *The Christian,* all of which are available in this film collection.

For a full index to these films, consult *The Christian-Evangelist Index,* published by the Disciples of Christ Historical Society (M.R. C 2).

DOCTORAL DISSERTATIONS

The Graduate Library has a virtually complete collection of The University of Michigan doctoral dissertations in typescript from the beginning of doctoral programs. Dissertations prepared since 1952 are also available on microfilm. All dissertations, irrespective of format, are recorded in the University of Michigan Doctoral Dissertation Catalog located in the Reference Department. This catalog is arranged by author and by department or college, giving both the typescript and microfilm number where applicable. The Micro-Catalog of the Microform Reading Room includes author cards for all University of Michigan dissertations on film.

Film copies of dissertations from many other institutions are also available in the Microform Reading Room.

Film X1008 X1009

EARLY BRITISH PERIODICALS

A collection of 18th and 19th century British periodicals in literature, philosophy, history, science, fine arts, and the social sciences chosen for their importance and relative rarity in American libraries. Each title has been separately cataloged and is described in detail in *British Periodicals of the 18th and 19th Centuries* by Daniel Fader and George Bornstein. (808.95 F114br) A reel guide (M.R. B8a), bibliography (M.R. B8b) and title list (M.R. B8c) are available in the Microform Reading Room reference collection.

STC

EARLY ENGLISH BOOKS, 1475-1640 (Pollard & Redgrave)

This film project, begun in 1938 and now nearing completion, encompasses almost all books printed in England, Scotland, and Ireland and all English books printed abroad from the introduction of printing in England to 1640. No periodical literature is included.

The first attempt to identify and describe the totality of English book production from 1475 to 1640 was made by two English scholars, Alfred William Pollard and G. R. Redgrave, who published their work in 1926.* The film project is based on this bibliography, of which a new, revised, and greatly expanded edition was announced as "in progress" about five years ago.

All STC titles in this collection are fully recorded in the Micro and Public Catalogs. The Pollard and Redgrave bibliography (M.R. B 1) is available in the Microform Reference Collection together with lists of titles filmed to date.

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X440

EARLY ENGLISH BOOKS, 1641-1700 (Wing)

A continuation of the Pollard & Redgrave project covering the period 1641-1700 and based on Donald Wing's *Short-Title Catalogue of Books Printed in England, Scotland, Ireland, Wales, and British America and of English Books Printed in Other Countries, 1641-1700* (New York: Index Society, 1945-51) (Ref. Z 2002 .P78 W7).

This project excludes periodicals, royal proclamations, separate Acts of Parliament, sermons, almanacs, Welsh books, numerous printings of the Bible and portions thereof, and official publications of Scotland and Ireland. It also excludes books already filmed in the Evans project (q.v.). The project was begun in 1961; the date of completion is uncertain.

Author cards for titles received appear only in the catalog maintained by the Microform Reading Room.

ERIC

ERIC, or Educational Resources Information Center, is a national information network which collects, abstracts, indexes, and disseminates current research reports in education. Established by the U.S. Office of Education in 1965 and now administered by the National Institute of Education, the ERIC system consists of 16 clearinghouses throughout the country. Each is responsible for a specialized subject

*Pollard, Alfred William. Short-Title Catalogue of Books Printed in England, Scotland and Ireland and of English Books Printed Abroad, 1475-1640. London, Bibliographical Society, 1926.

area. Professional papers, bibliographies, proceedings, and reports on all phases of educational research and development are issued on microfiche and distributed to more than 450 participating institutions. Over 120,000 documents have thus far been filmed. For the most part they are unpublished materials not easily accessible elsewhere. Commercially published materials, government documents, and dissertations are not filmed.

The Microform Reading Room's ERIC collection consists of all microfiche issued since August 1970. Access to the collection is provided through *Resources in Education* (M.R. E 5) which abstracts and indexes the nonperiodical ERIC materials in detail.

Documents issued before August 1970 are available at the ERIC Center, Room 2200 School of Education Building.

ENGLISH LITERARY PERIODICALS

A large group of periodicals published in England over the past three centuries and reflecting the literary, political, and social climate of the time.

All titles available in the film collection are fully cataloged and a large number are obtainable in complete files from the stacks of the Graduate Library.

An excellent guide to the titles filmed is *English Literary Periodicals* (M.R. B 8), published by University Microfilms. The author and subject index in this guide is especially useful for a quick survey of the period covered in the collection.

Film
X135

FACTS ON FILM

A great diversity of materials assembled by the Southern Education Reporting Service since the Supreme Court decision of 1954 rejecting the "separate but equal doctrine" of public schools. Its purpose is to provide "accurate, unbiased information to school administrators, public officials and interested lay citizens on developments in education" since the 1954 decision.

This collection and its annual supplements constitute an unparalleled documentation of school desegregation throughout the United States as reflected in newspapers, editorials, letters to the editor, magazines, numerous publications of

various social agencies and groups, miscellaneous pamphlets, tracts, court proceedings at all levels, including transcripts of Supreme Court hearings, issues of *Southern School News*, *Race Relations Law Reporter*, etc.

Indexes are available in the Microform Reading Room reference collection (M.R. F 1).

Film 2274

GERMAN FOREIGN MINISTRY ARCHIVES (AUSWARTIGES AMT), 1867-1920

Documents selected from the archives of the German Foreign Office by Professor Howard M. Ehrmann of the University of Michigan.

This is one of several projects that were undertaken by various universities after the capture of the archives by the Allied Powers in 1945. It should be noted that the projects supplement rather than duplicate each other.

For a complete guide to the papers filmed, see *Catalogue of Files and Microfilms of the German Foreign Ministry Archives, 1867-1920*, issued by The Committee for the Study of War Documents of the American Historical Association (Ref. CD 1261 .A52 1959). The papers available in the Microform Reading Room are described in Howard M. Ehrmann's *A Catalogue of the German Foreign Ministry Archives, 1867-1920* (M.R. G 1).

Film 6342

GERMAN NAVAL ARCHIVES, 1870-1944

Selected documents, mainly of political and diplomatic interest, issued by various agencies of the German navy between 1870 and 1944. The selecting and filming of the German naval archives was a joint undertaking of Professor Francis H. Hinsley of St. John's College, Cambridge, and Professor Howard M. Ehrmann of the University of Michigan.

For a detailed description of the documents included in this project, see: Hinsley, Francis H.

A Catalogue of Selected Files of German Naval Archives Microfilmed at the Admiralty, London (M.R. G3 and Ref. CD 1273. N32 H67)

Film X512 X159

GERMANY, 1933-1945: MILITARY, MINISTERIAL, AND PARTY ARCHIVES

A selection of German records filmed under the auspices of the Committee for the Study of War Documents of the American Historical Association. For contents, consult *Guides to German Records Microfilmed at Alexandria, Va.* (M.R. G2) and (Reference Z2240 .A52)

The Microform Reading Room holdings comprise only a small fraction of the records captured by the Allied Forces in 1945. The following series are held but are incomplete:

1. Reichswirtschaftsministerium (Ministry of Economics)
   Series T-71
2. Reichsministerium fuer die Besetzen Ostgebiete (Ministry for the Occupied Eastern Territories)
   Series T-454
3. Reichsfuehrer SS und Chef der Deutschen Polizei (Leader of the SS and Chief of German Police)
   Series T-175
4. Germany. Wehrmacht. Oberkommando (German Armed Forces High Command)
   Series T-77
5. Germany. Heer (Army)
   a. Army groups. Series T-311
   b. Army corps. Series T-314
   c. Armies. Series T-312
   d. Divisions. Series T-315
6. Nationalsozialistische Deutsche Arbeiter-Partei (National Socialist German Labor Party)
   Film X 159
7. Miscellaneous German Records
   Series T-84
8. Nazi Cultural and Research Institutions
   Series T-82

Film X608

GREAT BRITAIN. CABINET OFFICE RECORDS

Established in December 1916, the Cabinet Office was essentially a recording and co-ordinating agency, with no executive function. The main series of Cabinet Office Records are the minutes and circulated papers of the War Cabinet until October 1919, of the Imperial War Cabinet from May 1917 to December 1918, and of the Cabinet from November 1919. Also included are the minutes of numerous committees formed to deal with particular problems and memoranda of international conferences prepared by the Secretary to the Cabinet and his staff.

These records, hitherto closed to the public, have been called the "most valuable single collection of modern material for historical purposes that can be obtained from official sources." They are currently being filmed and made available by the Public Record Office.

For guides to the records released thus far, consult *The Records of the Cabinet Office to 1922* (M.R. C5), the *List of Cabinet Papers, 1880-1914* (Ref. CD 1047 .C3 1964), and the *List of Cabinet Papers 1915 and 1916* (Ref. CD 1047 .C3 1966). The last two titles are shelved in the Documents Room.

Micro F 110

GREAT BRITAIN. FOREIGN OFFICE. DIPLOMATIC CORRESPONDENCE OF BRITISH MINISTERS TO THE RUSSIAN COURT 1704-1776.

A collection of official dispatches and private letters exchanged by British ministers in Russia and their Secretaries of State in London. The material is extracted from fifteen volumes of the *Publications of the Imperial Russian Historical Society* (Sbornik imperatorskago russkago istoricheskago obshchestva) St. Petersburg, 1867-1916. It spans from the reign of Peter the Great to that of Catherine the Great, vital years of Russian westernization and emergence as a major European power. An important source of primary material for students of Russian diplomatic history.

The collection is accompanied by a detailed index. (M.R. B12)

GREAT BRITAIN. PARLIAMENT. HOUSE OF COMMONS. SESSIONAL PAPERS

The microprint edition of the Sessional Papers from 1731 to 1900. This collection is presumed to be complete for the period indicated. It supplements as well as duplicates the incomplete printed set available in the Graduate Library stacks. Readers should consult the Documents Desk of the Reference Department for assistance in locating papers in either the microprint or the bound edition.

Also available in microprint are the papers for the years 1900, 1903-1908, and 1916. Since 1900 all sessional papers with few exceptions are available in bound form.

The following indexes may be found in the Microform Reference Collection and must be used in identifying the materials desired:

1. *Index to the Reports from Select Committees 1800-1845* (M.R. B 3)
2. *General Index to the Parliamentary Papers 1801-1838, 1839-1844, 1845-1847, 1847-48-50, 1851-1852* (M.R. B 4).
3. *General Index to the House of Commons Bills 1801-1852* (M.R. B 5a).
4. *Alphabetical Index to the Sessional Papers 1852-1899* (M.R. B 5b)
5. *Numerical Lists and Alphabetical Index to the Sessional Papers 1903-1906,*(M.R. B 5c) *1907-1909,*(M.R. B 5d) *1910-12-13* (M.R. B 5e).

Film 14722

HERSTORY

An extensive collection of "women's liberation, and women's civic, religious, professional and peace journals, newspapers and newsletters from all over the world." The material is part of the International Women's History Periodical Archive collected by the Women's History Research Center, Berkeley, California, and now held by the Special Collections Library,

Northwestern University. Current microfilm holdings consist of 317 titles covering the period 1956-Sept. 1971. The collection is accompanied by an 120 page index and reel guide which indicates sponsoring agency, place of publication, and volume and date of each issue filmed. (M.R. W2)

Film 8208

HUNTER, ROBERT MERCER TALIAFERRO (1809-1887)—CORRESPONDENCE, PAPERS, PUBLIC ADDRESSES

Hunter's political career between 1833 and 1861 included membership in the Virginia General Assembly and in both houses of the United States Congress. A strong advocate of States Rights and an ally of John C. Calhoun, he served as Secretary of State of the Confederacy from 1861 to 1862 and as a member of the Confederate Senate until the dissolution of the Confederacy in 1865.

Reference: *Guide to the Microform Edition of the Papers of R. M. T. Hunter, 1817-1887* (M.R. Va 6).

Micro-P X9

JOINT PUBLICATION RESEARCH SERVICE TRANSLATIONS

Micro-F X216

The Joint Publication Research Service is responsible for translating and disseminating foreign-language materials requested by one or more agencies of the Federal Government. Since its founding in 1957 as a division of the U.S. Office of Technical Services, JPRS has become one of the principal distributors of scientific and technical information in the world. In the early months of operation, and particularly after the launching of the Russian satellite on October 4, 1957, JPRS produced thousands of translations of scientific literature emanating from Communist bloc countries. By 1960 the agency was responding to sharply increased demands by almost all departments and agencies of government for materials in the social sciences: politics and government, foreign relations, political and social commentary, economics, sociology, psychology, and a wide range of government documents. The coverage is now world-wide and encompasses more than eighty countries.

Guides to the microprint edition are the *Monthly Catalog of U.S. Government Publications* (Ref. Z 1223 .A18) located in the Documents Room and the *Index to Readex Microprint Edition of JPRS Reports* (M.R. J 1). After January 1976 the reports are available on microfiche. They are indexed by subject, name, and JPRS number in *Transdex* (M.R. J 2). The collection is updated monthly.

The Asia Library contains all JPRS publications in mimeograph form pertaining to Mainland China from 1959 to the present. These reports are bound by month of issuance. They are also available in the Microprint edition

Many divisions in the University of Michigan Library hold scattered numbers of JPRS reports which are separately recorded in the Public Catalog. The most complete holdings are found only in the Microform Reading Room collection.

Mimeographed copies of most reports are obtainable from the National Technical Information Service, Springfield, Virginia 22151.

Film 7541

KNOX, HENRY. PAPERS

Henry Knox (1750-1806) was an officer in the Revolutionary Army and served as Secretary of War under George Washington. The film consists mainly of correspondence with military associates, government officials, and family.

Reference: The *Index to the Henry Knox Papers* (M.R. K 1).

Film 8202

LEE FAMILY PAPERS (1742-1795)

The papers of several members of the Lee family, for generations prominent in the political and cultural life of Virginia. Those most strongly represented are: Arthur Lee (1740-1792), William Lee (1739-1795), and Richard Henry Lee (1732-1794). Of particular interest are papers relating to the War of Independence.

Reference: The *Guide to the Microfilm Edition of the Lee Family Papers, 1742-1795* (M.R. Va 1).

Film 7539

MENSHEVIK COLLECTION

A small group of newspapers, party organs, and pamphlets originating in a major faction in the Russian Social Democratic Party known as the Mensheviks. The emphasis of the collection is on the struggle for power between the Mensheviks and Bolshevists from 1903 to 1921.

Title cards for the 241 periodicals and the 23 books and pamphlets in this collection may be found only in the card catalog of the Microform Reading Room. For a printed guide to the materials held consult *Menshevik Collection of Newspapers, Periodicals, Pamphlets and Books Related to the Menshevik Movement* (M.R. M 2). For a more detailed description, consult Anna Bourguina's *Sotsial-Demokraticheskaia Men'shevistkaia Literatura* (Z 6207 .E8 L4 vol. 36).

Micro-F X202

MIDDLE EAST DATAFILE.

Penn, Buckinghamshire, England, University Microfilms Ltd., 1975-.

An extensive microfiche collection of current political, social, economic, and statistical data on forty-eight Middle Eastern and Islamic countries, including those of Sub-Saharan Africa. The material is being collected by the Documentation Centre of the Centre for Middle Eastern and Islamic Studies, University of Durham, England. Much of it is otherwise unobtainable. The documents are filmed in their original formats and most are in French or English. The collection is accompanied by an hard-copy index (M.R. M4) which contains a thesaurus, subject index, and documents guide. It is updated quarterly.

Film 423

MYRDAL, GUNNAR. STAFF PAPERS

The essays in this collection were prepared by Professor Myrdal's research staff between 1939 and 1942 during his writing of the *American Dilemma*. They deal with the economic, social, and political status of Blacks in America. The majority of the essays are unpublished manuscripts in the Schomburg Collection of the New York Public Library.

Reference: *Checklist to the Myrdal Collection* (M.R. M 1).

Micro-F 86

Micro-F 114

NEW YORK TIMES ORAL HISTORY PROGRAM. COLUMBIA UNIVERSITY COLLECTION.

Columbia University's Oral History Research Office was established in 1948 to collect and preserve the reminiscences of historically significant people of the twentieth century whose lives and contributions had not been fully recorded. The collection consists of the tapes and transcripts of more than 2,600 interviews with people in a wide range of fields. The Microfilming Corporation of America has recently made a selected number of these transcripts available on microfiche. The majority of those filmed are autobiographical accounts of contributors in such areas as politics, education, law, history, journalism, labor, industry, and race relations.

The Library's holdings of this collection consist of the accounts of 109 of the most distinguished figures of our century.

Among many others are included W.E.B. DuBois, Luther Evans, Felix Frankfurter, Reinhold Niebuhr, Henry Stimson, Norman Thomas, and Roy Wilkins.

Indexes to all proper names mentioned in the transcripts have been filmed at the end of each interview. Added entries for each person interviewed appear in both the Public and Microform Reading Room catalogs.

Film 14721

ONEIDA COMMUNITY BOOKS, PAMPHLETS, AND SERIALS 1834-1972

The film edition of the Oneida Collection at the George Arents Research Library, Syracuse University. The material documents the origin and 40 year history of one of the most famous American utopian experiments, the Oneida Community, founded by John Humphrey Noyes in 1841. It includes 69 books and pamphlets, in many of which Noyes discusses the controversial religious beliefs practiced by his adherents as well as the more mundane details of community life. Also filmed are works of history and criticism of the Oneida group and nine serial titles issued by Noyes and his associates between 1834 and 1879. The material is accompanied by a bibliography and reel list which includes a 22 page history of the community, an excellent background for study of the film. (M.R. C6)

Film 16266

PENN, WILLIAM 1644-1718. PAPERS

The Historical Society of Pennsylvania has filmed this fourteen reel collection of the papers of William Penn, the founder of Pennsylvania and important seventeenth century Quaker leader and social philosopher. It includes letters, wills, petitions, constitutional documents, patents, account books, and records of Penn's legal activities. Also filmed are his Irish diary, travel accounts, and manuscripts of some of his religious and political tracts. The years most fully represented are 1678-1688 and 1701-1712. The material is filmed in chronological order and is accompanied by a reel guide (M.R. P8.9) which includes a checklist of correspondents.

Film 8204

POE, EDGAR ALLAN—JOHN HENRY INGRAM COLLECTION

John Henry Ingram (1842-1916) was the first English biographer of Poe and his principal defender against the scurrilous and defamatory attacks by Poe's literary executor, the Reverend Rufus Wilmot Griswold. The Ingram collection was purchased in 1922 from Laura Ingram, a sister of the biographer, by the University of Virginia Library. It consists of letters, magazine and newspaper articles, photographs, and manuscripts collected from a variety of sources including Poe's personal friends.

Reference: *Guide to the Microfilm Edition of John Henry Ingram's Collection* (M.R. Va 4).

THE PRESIDENTIAL PAPERS

The microfilm edition of the Library of Congress Manuscript Division's Presidential Papers is one of the most important collections in the Microform Reading Room. Holdings thus far include the papers of eighteen Presidents ranging in time from Washington to Coolidge. With the exception of the Van Buren Papers each set of film is accompanied by a complete index. Among the items filmed in each set are letters to and from the President,

speeches, diaries, memoirs, telegrams, newspaper clippings, and military documents. The *Calendar of the Papers of Martin Van Buren* provides access to Van Buren's general correspondence for the years 1787-1868. The remaining Van Buren material on film has not been indexed.

Each of the Presidential Papers series is separately listed in both the Public Catalog and the Microform Reading Room catalog. The Library's microfilm holdings consist of the following sets:

Film 3923

Arthur, Chester Alan (1830-1886)
21st U.S. President, 1881-1885.
Index: M.R. P 1

The papers of President Arthur comprise one of the smallest collections in the series. It is believed that most of his papers were burned shortly before Arthur's death. The surviving 1,413 items consist mainly of letters, including those written by such noted figures as James G. Blaine, U.S. Grant, William Sherman, Philip Sheridan, and Cornelius Vanderbilt. Also filmed are letters concerning Arthur from the files of Dun and Bradstreet and those written to or about him taken from other manuscript collections at the Library of Congress.

Film 3924

Cleveland, Grover (1837-1908)
22nd U.S. President, 1885-1889 and 1893-1897.
Index: M.R. P 2

The Cleveland collection is a valuable source for study of the American political scene in the late 19th century. It consists of over 87,000 manuscripts, at least half of which are letters to the President. Cleveland's own letters, speeches, and Presidential Messages are also well represented. Unfortunately, there are almost no papers dating from his early political career and very few from the years after he left the White House.

Film 8519

Coolidge, Calvin (1872-1933)
30th U.S. President, 1923-1925 and 1925-1929.
Index: M.R. P 2.2

Although the Coolidge collection is one of the largest in the Library of Congress Presidential series, the papers included are not of particular political or historical importance. They reveal very little of Coolidge's pre-presidential career and contain only a small amount of correspondence with important government figures. Most of the letters filmed are those of private citizens, accompanied by carbon copies of routine White House replies. Unfortunately for historians, a large portion of Coolidge's personal papers were destroyed before his death. Despite this fact those interested in political affairs and the concerns of average citizens just prior to the Depression will find this collection to be of considerable use.

Film 6390

Grant, Ulysses Simpson (1822-1885)
18th U.S. President, 1869-1873 and 1873-1877.
Index: M.R. P 3

The Grant Papers constitute an important source for study of the American Civil War. The collection consists of over 47,000 items with greatest emphasis on those papers dealing with Grant's military career. It includes official army correspondence, orders, reports on various campaigns, registers, dispatches, and accounts. The Army Headquarters Records total 111 volumes and span Grant's military career from his first post in Missouri to his eventual command of the U.S. Army. Later records from his presidency include his first inaugural address, speeches, personal and official correspondence, and the historical manuscripts used in writing his memoirs. The collection as a whole comprises a valuable political and military record of one of the most important periods in American history.

Film 8511

Harrison, Benjamin (1833-1901)
23rd U.S. President, 1889-1893.
Index: M.R. P 3.1

"The Benjamin Harrison papers, which number 69,612, cover every aspect of Harrison's life and career: his relations with his family, his college work and fraternal activity, his great love for Carrie Scott Harrison, his service as Brigadier General of the 70th Regiment, Indiana Volunteers, his early law practice, his service as reporter for the Supreme Court of Indiana, his senatorial career, the political build-up to his election as President and his legal triumph in the Venezuela boundary dispute. It is particularly rich in materials pertaining to the political campaign of 1888, Pension Office problems, and controversial Post Office and Civil Service disputes. In addition to letters, the collection contains speeches, memoranda, petitions, newspaper clippings, scrapbooks, financial records, and miscellaneous items dealing with White House social events."*

Film 3354

Harrison, William Henry (1773-1841)
9th U.S. President, March to April 1841.
Index: M.R. P 4

Because a large portion of Harrison's papers were destroyed by fire, this is a relatively small collection, containing only 984 items. The major part consists of Harrison's letterbooks, drafts of letters written and copies of those received, and texts of several speeches. Ranging in date from 1805 to 1841, the papers chiefly concern the War of 1812 and the 1840 presidential campaign.

*U.S. Library of Congress. Manuscript Division. *Index to the Benjamin Harrison Papers* (Washington: for sale by the Superintendent of Documents, U.S. Government Printing Office, 1964) p. vi.

Film 7969

Jackson, Andrew (1767-1845)
7th U.S. President, 1829-1833 and 1833-1837.
Index: M.R. P 4.5

The papers of Andrew Jackson comprise one of the most complete presidential collections at the Library of Congress. Although little of his early life is represented, there is a wealth of material concerning Jackson's military and political career after the year 1813. Included are such items as journals of Indian treaty negotiations, an account of the Battle of New Orleans, letters, speeches, military papers, annual messages, and Jackson's Farewell Address of 1837.

Film 3925

Johnson, Andrew (1808-1875)
17th U.S. President, 1865-1869.
Index: M.R. P 5

Although many of Andrew Johnson's private papers were destroyed by fire, there are approximately 23,500 items preserved in the Library of Congress archives. Included in the microfilm edition of his collection is much valuable material for research on the post-Civil War era. The greatest part of the collection concerns Johnson's years as President. Among the items filmed are letterbooks, messages, courts martial and amnesty records, executive documents, letters concerning the assassination of Lincoln and attempted assassination of Johnson, newspaper clippings related to impeachment efforts, and financial records.

Film 3593

Lincoln, Abraham (1809-1865)
16th U.S. President, March 1861-April 1865.
Index: M.R. P 6

Microfilm of the Lincoln papers contains over 14,000 items, many of which should be of interest to students of the Civil War. The major part of the collection consists of letters written to Lincoln during his administration. Correspondents include such noted figures as U.S. Grant, John Hay, Andrew Johnson, George B. McClellan, William Rosecrans, William H. Seward, and Charles Sumner. Special items such as two drafts of the Gettysburg Address and a letter of condolence sent to Mrs. Lincoln by Queen Victoria after Lincoln's assassination are also filmed.

Film 5217

McKinley, William (1843-1901)
25th U.S. President, March 1897-Sept. 1901.
Index: M.R. P 7

Students of American politics at the turn of the century should find this film to be of interest. The collection consists of over 105,000 items, most of which are dated after the year 1896. Despite the large volume of material filmed,

the collection sheds little light on McKinley's administration, beliefs, or plans. However, it does provide ample background material for study of the political climate during the late nineteenth century. Types of material filmed include letters, speeches, White House guest lists, assassination records, notebooks, photographs, and scrapbooks.

Film 8512

Madison, James (1751-1836)
4th U.S. President, 1809-1813 and 1813-1817.
Index: M.R. P 7.1

Although it is far from complete, the microfilm edition of the Madison papers contains many important historical manuscripts. Of particular interest are the many letters written by Madison and Jefferson during their fifty year long correspondence. Other correspondents included are James Monroe, George Washington, Alexander Hamilton, John Armstrong, and Edmund Randolph. Among the special items filmed are Madison's autobiography and will, notes on debates in the Continental Congress, the Congress of Confederation, the Federal Convention, and Alexander Hamilton's observations on federal government.

Film 3926

Monroe, James (1758-1831)
5th U.S. President, 1817-1821 and 1821-1825.
Index: M.R. P 8

The Library of Congress collection of the papers of James Monroe contains over 3,800 items, spanning Monroe's long career as Congressman, Senator, Governor of Virginia, diplomat, Cabinet member, and President of the United States. Among the correspondents whose letters have been filmed are Thomas Jefferson, John Randolph, Thomas Paine, Andrew Jackson, John C. Calhoun, Aaron Burr, and Albert Gallatin. The papers deal with such matters as the Louisiana Purchase, the War of 1812, the Florida Purchase, and politics in Virginia. Also included are copies of letters Monroe wrote while he was a diplomatic representative in England and France. The collection should be of interest to those studying early nineteenth century American history as well as to those interested in European affairs of the same period.

Film 3927

Pierce, Franklin (1804-1869)
14th U.S. President, 1853-1857.
Index: M.R. P 9

The microfilm edition of the papers of Franklin Pierce is believed to represent only a small part of the total collection which existed at the time Pierce left office. Among the 2,340 items filmed are letters from cabinet members, political advisors, and important journalists of the

time. Correspondents include such important figures as Edmund Burke, Jefferson Davis, Nathaniel Hawthorne, and James K. Polk. Relatively few of Pierce's own letters have survived. Among the more interesting items filmed are Pierce's diary from the Mexican War and several drafts of messages to Congress from the years 1854-1856. Although this is not among the strongest presidential collections, students researching the years just prior to the Civil War should find it to be a useful source.

Film 9586

Polk, James K. (1795-1840)
11th U.S. President, 1845-1849.
Index: M.R. P 13

The James K. Polk microfilm collection is one of the most complete in the Library of Congress presidential series. All phases of Polk's political career from freshman congressman to president are represented. Of particular interest are Polk's extensive diaries which chronicle the significant events of his White House years. Also included are his correspondence, letterbooks, drafts of messages and speeches, financial records, memorandum books, and legal documents.

Film 3567

Taylor, Zachary (1784-1850)
12th U.S. President, March 1849-July 1850.
Index: M.R. P 10

Because most of Taylor's important papers were destroyed during the Civil War, this collection is one of the smallest in the series. Only 631 documents have been filmed. Among these are 64 letters largely concerned with the Seminole Indian campaign of 1837-1838, a fifteen page autobiographical account, and miscellaneous documents related to Taylor's administration and the management of his plantation.

Film 3928

Tyler, John (1790-1862)
10th U.S. President, 1841-1845.
Index: M.R. P 11

The Tyler collection is also among the smallest in the Library of Congress archives. Most of the Tyler papers were destroyed by the Union Army during the Civil War. Much of Tyler's correspondence and an account of his bank vetoes were among the burned documents. The surviving material filmed in this series consists of approximately 1,400 items. Many are letters written by Tyler, by his wife, Julia Gardiner Tyler, and by other members of his family. They range in time between the years 1710 and 1918.

Film 3929

Van Buren, Martin (1782-1862)
8th U.S. President, 1837-1841.
Index: M.R. P 14

This collection of approximately 6,000 Van Buren manuscripts contains some especially interesting historical material. Among the more important papers filmed are Van Buren's autobiography, drafts of his messages to Congress, and a significant number of letters from his extensive correspondence with Andrew Jackson. Other correspondents include James Buchanan, James Madison, Franklin Pierce, and John Randolph.

Film 8520

Washington, George (1732-1799)
1st U.S. President, 1789-1793 and 1793-1797.
Index: M.R. P 12

The Library of Congress collection of Washington's papers on microfilm is quite extensive, numbering over 64,000 items. Among these are Washington's diaries, letterbooks, military records, and papers related to the Revolutionary War, the Continental Congress, and Washington's years as President. Most of the material dates from the years 1748 to 1799. Correspondents whose letters have been filmed in this collection include John Adams, Benjamin Franklin, Nathaniel Greene, Alexander Hamilton, Patrick Henry, John Jay, Thomas Jefferson, James Madison, and Thomas Paine.

Film 16015

RUSSIAN REVOLUTIONARY LITERATURE

This microfilm edition of Harvard University's Houghton Library collection consists of nearly 1200 rare and ephemeral books, pamphlets, broadsides, periodicals, and documents relating to the Russian revolutionary movement. The materials span the years 1825-1920 and represent all revolutionary groups from the early nineteenth century anarchists to Lenin's Russian Social Democratic Labor Party. Although most of the material was published outside the country or on underground presses in Russia, a few monarchist broadsides and Tsarist publications concerning the revolutionary movement are also filmed. The collection provides access to approximately 100,000 pages of rich and rare source material. It is accompanied by a detailed descriptive guide (M.R. R1) which includes a reel list by main entry and indexes by name, title, organization, and series.

Film 6444

STEIGER COLLECTION OF GERMAN-AMERICAN NEWSPAPERS AND PERIODICALS

Ernst Steiger, a New York publisher and a highly successful importer and distributor of German publications in the latter half of the nineteenth century, is responsible for this unique collection of single issues of the German-American newspapers and periodicals, appearing between 1872 and 1874, which he assembled to show the spread of German-American culture in the United States. One of Steiger's collections, now owned by

the Austrian National Library, was exhibited at the International Exposition held in Vienna in 1874. A similar but not identical collection was presented to the University of Heidelberg.

An index to the two collections was prepared by Professor Karl John Richard Arndt of Clark University: *The Ernst Steiger Collections of German-American Newspapers and Periodicals in Heidelberg and Vienna* (M.R. N 4). For a more advanced treatment of the German-American press, readers may wish to consult his *German Language Press of the Americas, 1732-1968* (München, Verlag Dokumentation, 1973-), an earlier edition of which was published under the title *German-American Newspapers and Periodicals, 1732-1955* (Z 6953.5 .G3 A75 1965). Steiger's autobiography, *Dreiundfuenfzig Jahre Buchhaendler in Deutschland und Amerika* (New York, E. Steiger, 1901), p. 20 *passim* gives an interesting account of these collecting efforts in behalf of German-Americans.

Film X992

U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS. DECENNIAL CENSUS PUBLICATIONS; POPULATION AND NON-POPULATION.

Microfilm copies of the U.S. decennial censuses for the years 1790-1960 are held in the Microform Reading Room. Both population and non-population publications are included. The amount of non-population material issued in the decennial census varies from census to census. Statistical data on manufacturing, mining, agriculture, transportation, vital statistics, business, distribution, irrigation and drainage, and housing were included with population in some decennial censuses and are therefore filmed in this collection. By the 1960 census, only population and housing data were included. Access to the non-population census material which is not filmed may be obtained from the Documents staff.

This film collection is accompanied by two finding aids: *U.S. Decennial Census Publications, 1790-1960: A Bibliographic Guide to the Microform Collection* (M.R. D 6) and Henry J. Dubester's *Catalog of United States Census Publications 1790-1945* (M.R. D 7). Special assistance in using this film is available from the Documents staff in the Reference Department.

Film X512

U.S. BUREAU OF THE CENSUS. FEDERAL POPULATION CENSUS SCHEDULES.

Also included in the Microform Collection is film of the U.S. decennial census schedules of Michigan counties from the 5th through the 10th censuses, 1830-1880. Unlike the preceding title, this film contains information on specific individuals and is therefore of particular interest to genealogists. Although the amount of information given in the schedules varies for each

census, the film includes the name, age, occupation, birthplace, and relationship of each individual in a residence to the head of household. A personal name index to the 1850 Michigan schedules is available (M.R. D9).

Film 8207

THE VIRGINIA GAZETTE DAYBOOKS: 1750-1752 AND 1764-1766

The daily transactions of the printing office William Parks established in Williamsburg, Virginia in 1730. Six years later he founded the *Virginia Gazette*. The few surviving daybooks reveal much of the cultural life of colonial Virginia, since the printing house was engaged in bookselling as well as in publishing and advertising.

Reference: *Guide to the Microfilm Edition of the Virginia Gazette Daybooks, 1750-1752 and 1764-1766* (M.R. Va 5).